THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: Kinji SAI

Application No.: 10/009,196

Filed: April 10, 2003

For: CLAD PLATE FOR FORMING INTERPOSER FOR ...

Confirmation No.: 7225

Washington, D.C.

Art Unit: 2813

Examiner:

Atty.'s Docket: SAIJO =7A

Date: September 9, 2003

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THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a [XX] PRELIMIANRY AMENDMENT AND REMARKS in the above-identified application.

- [] Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted
- [] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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	х	9	\$			
	х	42	\$			
	+	140	\$			
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OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY RATE ADDITIONAL 18 \$ 84 \$ 280 \$ TOTAL \$

- If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
- If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
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The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (total or independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment of the number of claims originally filed.

Conditional Petition for Extension of Time

If any extension of time for a response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.

It is hereby notificined for an extension of time in accordance with 27 CER 4.426(a). The

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[]	A check in the amount of \$ is attached (check no.).		308

The Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4035. This authorization and request is not limited to payment of all fees associated with this communication, including any Extension of Time fee, not covered by check or specific authorization, but is also intended to include all fees for the presentation of extra claims under 37 CFR §1.16 and all patent processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17 throughout the prosecution of the case. This blanket authorization does not include patent issue fees under 37 CFR §1.18.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to any action or examination in this application, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

